

5. (8:31-39) Paul gives five reasons why we can count on God's love.
What are they?

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6. What is his grand conclusion?



Memory Verse: Romans 8:38-39

“For I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any powers, neither height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord.”

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Personal Reflection

The text says that “in all things God works for the good of those who love him”. Notice that it doesn’t say all things are “good” but that “in all things God works for the good...” What are some of the “all things” in your life right now? How might God work in them for good? Is God’s definition of good different than yours?

In what ways do you resist or deny the good work God is accomplishing for you and try to create your own “good”?

What is your perception of how God should express His love to you? I know God loves me when...
As described in this passage, how does God love you?

Is there a difference in your expectations of God’s love and the truth of God’s love? What is the difference? What do you do with the differences?

In the long run, which would you prefer? Why?

God’s love for us does not depend on us--it depends on him. His Word says that, because of this love, we are more than conquerors. In this spiritual battle of opposing forces, why is it sometimes easier to believe and live defeated rather than believe and live as conquerors? What is the root problem?